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PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of Yuji Yanagisawa for Battery with Protection Circuit for Preventing Malfunction.

Enclosed are:

- Preliminary Amendment with attached Appendix A
- 16 pages of application (including title page), 2 sheets of formal drawings and the following Appendices: n/a
- Declaration and Power of Attorney for Patent Application
- Assignment transmittal letter and Assignment of the invention to: Alps Electric Co., Ltd.
- Submission of Certified Copy of Priority Document and certified copy of Japanese Application No. 2000-308012
- Information Disclosure Statement, PTO-1449, and references A1-A2

Claims as Filed	Col. 1	Col. 2
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Basic Fee		\$ 355
Total Claims	2-20	0
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